

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 21 of this paper and include both attached replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 22 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached replacement and annotated sheets of drawings follow page 25 of this Supplemental Amendment, and include changes to FIGS. 3 and 4, as follows:

FIG. 3 has been amended by replacing the word “queries” with --transit time requests-- on four different occasions.

FIG. 4 has been amended by replacing the word “query” with --transit time request-- on two different occasions.

Attachment: Replacement Sheets (FIGS. 3 and 4)
Annotated Sheets Showing Changes (FIGS 3 and 4)



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Begin

receive a DNS
request from
said fixed
location

100

determine a
response time
for each of the
content
serving sites

102

send transit time re-
quests to each of the
content serving sites,
timing said transit
time requests so that
they arrive at each of
the content serving
sites at the same time
by using said response
time for each of the
content serving sites

104

receive data
from said fixed location
as to the delta-times of
each of the content
serving sites

106

store said data
in a table

108

Setup
phase

110 -
receive a DNS
request from
said fixed
location

112 -
determine a response time for each of the n fastest
content serving sites and m other content serving
sites, said n fastest content serving sites chosen by
using said data and choosing the n content serving
sites with the lowest delta-times, said m other content
serving sites chosen by selecting new content serving
sites as well as randomly selecting old content serving
sites

114

send transit time requests to
each of the n fastest content
serving sites and m other
content serving sites, timing
said transit time requests so
that they arrive at each of the
 n fastest content serving sites
and m other content serving
sites by using said response
time for each of the n fastest
content serving sites and m
other content serving sites

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118 -
receive data from said
fixed location as to the
delta-times of each of
the n fastest content
serving sites and m
other content serving
sites

store said data
in a table

End

Execution
phase

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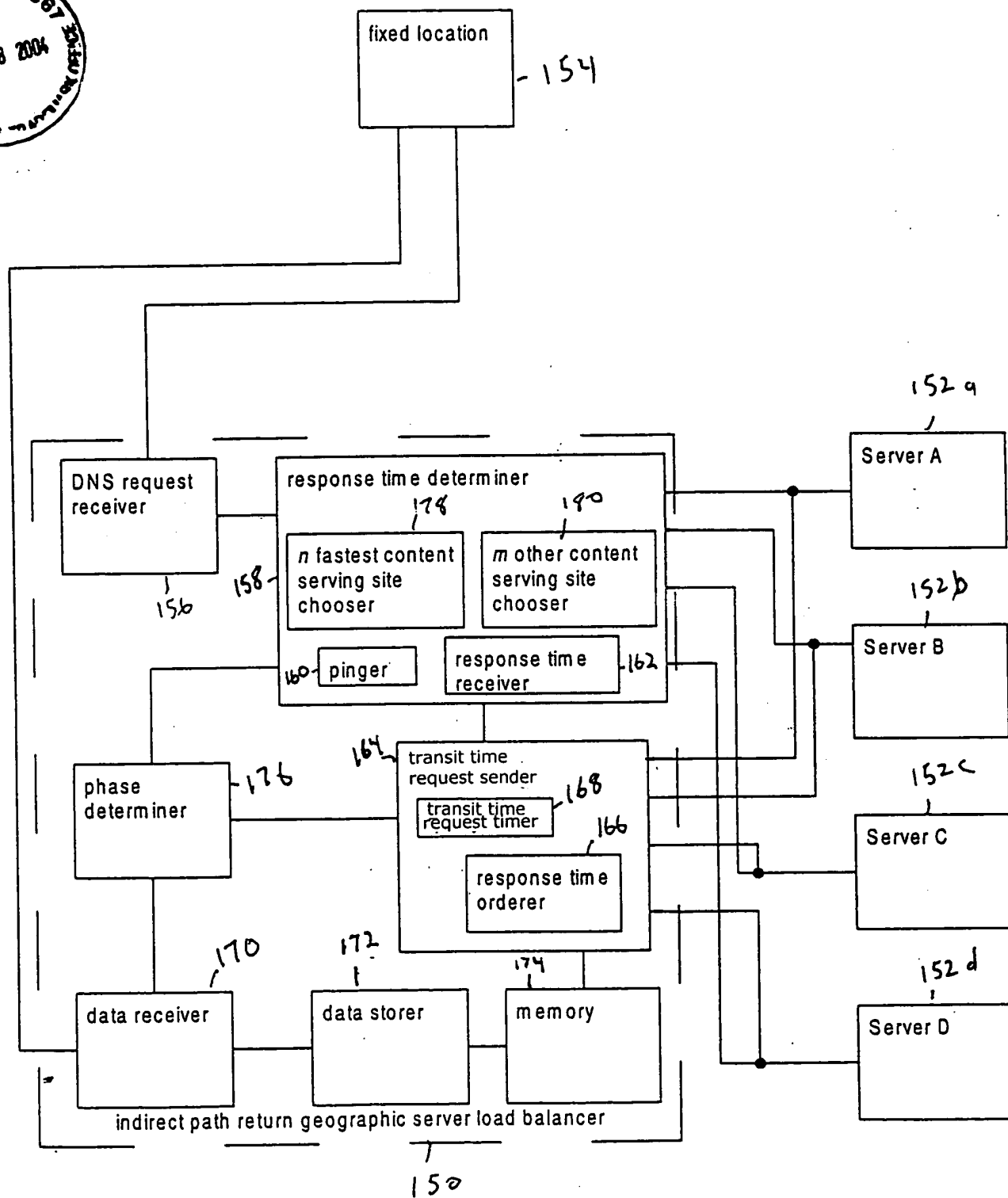


FIG. 4